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WASHINGTON, D. C., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1887.

Washington News and Gossip.

THE SUPPLEMENT OF THE EVENING STAR to-day contains: The public schools controversy, Springfield rifles versus magazine guns, Gov. Hill on President Cleveland, the national labor convention, the German elections, telegraphic dispatches, etc. The advertisements are classified as follows: Auction Sales, Educational, Proposals, Books, Ladies' Goods, Hotels, Housefurnishings, Planos and Organs, Sewing Machines, Gentlemen's Goods, Wood and Coal, Family Supplies, Professional, Medical, Financial, Attorneys, Railroads, Potomac River Boats, Steamers, Specialties, The Trades, Dentistry, Undertakers.

GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS To-DAY.-Internal revenue, \$338,523; customs, \$979,612. THE PRESIDENT HAS APPROVED fifty-seven private pension bills since Monday, and has re-

turned three bills to Congress without his ap-SECRETARY MANNING returned to Washington

yesterday afternoon, and resumed his duties at the Treasury department to-day.

THE CLASS OF 1869, graduates of the U.S. naval academy, had their annual reunion and dinner at Welcker's Monday evening, and sent a beautiful basket of flowers, with an anchor of violets, to Mrs. Porter, wife of Admiral Porter, who was living at the naval academy when they graduated. MEETING OF NEWSPAPER MEN. - Mr. Charles H. Jones, of the Jacksonville (Fla.) Times-Union, and president of the National Editorial association, is at the Ebbitt house, where a meeting of the executive committee of the association will be held to-morrow. The executive committee com-prises one member from each state, and it is un-

erstood that there will be a full attendance. NAVAL ORDERS .- Paymaster Joseph Foster ordered to special duty at the Portsmouth, N. H., navy yard. Paymasters H. T. B. Harris and Chas. W. Slamm detached from special duty at the New York navy yard and ordered to special duty with Capt. A. P. Cook. Commander Chas. E. Clark detached from duty as inspector of the 9th light house district. Ensign M. L. Read from the bureau of navigation and placed on waiting orders. Chaplain Thos. A. Gill from the St. Louis and placed on waiting orders. Ensign Wm. A. Gill from the naval ordnance proving ground and ordered to the Ranger. Ensign Lewis J. Clarke from the Franklin and ordered to the Ranger.

THE DISTRIBUTION OF PUBLIC DOCUMENTS .- Dr. John G. Ames, the chief of the document division of the Interior department, in his annual report states that during the past year there were received for distribution 164,749 voldeath of animal by THE PENNA. LIVE STOCK INSURANCE COMPANY causes me to take great pleasure in recommending this company to the owners of
live stock.

J. F. BLUNDON, Contractor.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18th, 1887.
Received of the PEOPLE'S MUTUAL LIVE STOCK
INSURANCE COMPANY, of Pennsylvania, seventyfive dollars in full for loss of horse insured under polhaving more than 5,000 volumes in each congressional district throughout the country, and one set is at the disposal of each and thus enable persons and libraries who wish to purchase to do so. At present the government publications after being printed are not for sale. NOT ENTITLED TO ANOTHER BOND.—The first controller has decided that the Chicago man who swallowed a \$1,000 U. S. bond to prevent its being | whole on the ground that it affected the revenue

owner," etc. The controller holds that in this case the destruction of the bond was intentional, being fright. Another claim for the issue of a duplicate bond in place of one destroyed was submitted to the controller to-day. The claimant represents that while operating with some vitriol some of the acid accidentally fell upon a \$500 bond, practically destroying it. A duplicate bond will be issued in this case, provided the claimant produces satisfactory evidence that the mutilation of the bond was the result of accident.

AMONG THE PRESIDENT'S CALLERS to-day were Mrs. Dickenson and Miss Lothrop, of New York, Lawler, with J. H. Nolan, of Chicago, and E. V. Preston, of Conn.; Joseph Morrison, Cobb, Dibble, Foran, Tarsney, Maybury, Seymour, Hopkins, with superintendent Powell, of the Dis-Toole, Bean, Mahoney, with Judge Osborne, of Brooklyn; and Felton, with Evan J. Coleman, of San Francisco; H. B. Pierce, of New York, and R. H. Pease, of San Francisco; Representatives-elect Cothran, S. C.; Lynch, Pa., and Vance, Conn.; E. R. Meade, of New York; William H. Wood, of Buffalo; B. F. Meyers, of Harrisburg; E. F. Kerr, of Bedford, Pa., and W. J. Bacon, of New York. Personal.-Hon. Justin McCarthy, of London. and Chas. E. Whittridge, of Boston, C. H. Arnold,

tour in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana and Wisconsin.—R. C. J. Pendleton, of Indianapolis, D. B. Cooper, of Syracuse, are at Willard's.—
Commissioner of Pensions Black, Senator Butler and Superintendent Baird, of the dead letter office, were registered in New York last night.—Representative Rockwell, F. C. Clarke and S. Davis of New York, G. W. Walsh, of Chicago, and J. C.
Coorde of Roston are at the Riggs—Mr. Argyle Telfar, of New York, are at Welcker's .city.—Thos. P. Fowler, H. B. Pierce and R. D. Benedict of New York, R. H. Pease, jr., of San Francisco, A. B. Baylis and S. V. White of Brooklyn, and A. Rothschild of Boston, are at Wormley's.—Mr. Ben Tuthill, representative of the "Gypsy Baron" company, is at the Harris House.
—Mr. J. H. Hobson of the American Exchange —Mr. J. H. Hobson of the American Exchange in Paris is in the city, staying at Willard's.—J. B. Lazear of Omaha, H. H. McIntyre of San Francisco, C. C. Hubbard of Hartford, S. A. Murphy of Detroit, H. M. Skillman of Lexington, Ky., John Reed of Boston, Hon. B. B. Smalley of Vermont, Gen. Daniel McClure, Representative-elect Greer of Iowa, E. P. Capen of Minneapolis, George H. Paul, jr., of Milwaukee, are at the Ebbitt.—G. N. Corson, F. S. Mancill and C. Shirly Carter, of Pennsylvania, G. M. Hartaway, E. J. Dettsel of Pennsylvania, G. M. Hartaway, E. J. Deitsel, of New York, J. B. Crouse, of Cleveland, and Floyd Hughes, of Norfolk, are at the National.—J. E. vsle, of Ohio, A. J. Srull, of Missouri, L. B. Evans, of Augusta, Ga., and C. J. Hadem, of Atlanta, Isidor Mell and J. B. McCann, of New York, and Johnson Jones, of North Carolina, are at the Met-ropolitan.—Hon. C. G. Williams, who represented

the first Wisconsin district ten years in Congress, is at Willard's. He now resides at Watertown, and Investment company. The Jefferson Club. DISTINGUISHED GUESTS AT THE FIRST RECEPTION IN THE NEW CLUB HOUSE. There was a large assemblage of representative public men and prominent citizens at Britian. the Jefferson Club reception last night. The o'clock until 12 o'clock, and all the while the afford to go to war with Great Britain. rooms were crowded just up to the comfort point. This was the first reception of the club, which has but recently been organized, and was given as a but recently been organized, and was given as a house warming, gentlemen only being invited. Their elegantly-appointed club house received general praise. The guests were received by Mr. Stilson Hutchins, the president of the club, and the board of governors, Messrs. M. F. Morris, Enoch Totten, W. C. McIntire, Hallet Kilbourn, A. A. Wilton, W. C. McIntire, Hallet Kilbourn, A. A. Wilton, E. A. Pichardson, George B. Willedge, Control of the club, and the board of governors. son, A. T. Britton, F. A. Richardson, George B. Williams, Lawrence Gardner, Eppa Hunton, E. B. Youmans, John G. Moore and Frank B. Noyes, secretary. The guests were then permitted to roam at will through the building, members of the club being everywhere to look after the comfort and extertal preserved. after the comfort and entertainment of their guests. The floral decorations were quite handome, the mantels being loaded with beautiful cut flowers. In the rooms on the second floor were tables spread with suitable refreshments, to which Howers. In the rooms on the second floor were tables spread with suitable refreshments, to which justice was done by the guests.

Noticed among the hundreds who called during the evening were Chief Justice Waite, the Japanese minister and suite, Senator Kenna, Senator Sawyer, Representatives Kleiner, Atkins, Green, Cowies, McCreary, Steele, Anderson of Ohio, Richardson, Wilson, Henderson of North Carolina, McComas, Johnson of New York, Outhwaite, Campbell of Ohio, Ely, King, Mitchell, Brown of Pennsylvania, Perkins, Symes, Snyder, Townshend, Gibson of Maryland, Ward of Indiana, Gibson of West Virginia, Wheeler, Pettibone, Tarsney, Van Eaton, J. J. O'Nell, Spooner, Seney, Hatch of Missouri, Martin, ex-Secretary Boutwell, ex-Secretary Belknap, Col. Switzler, Gen. B. H. Robertson, Assistant Secretary Muldrow, Commissioner Colman, ex-Sergeant-at-Arms Bright, Commissioner Sparks, Mr. E. O. Graves, Assistant Postmaster General Stevenson, Dr. Toner, Second Controller Maynard, Gen. Marcus B. Wright, Judge Harris, Dr. Hamilton, Dr. Prentiss, Commissioner McCalmot, S. I. Kimball, W. R. Curtis, W. B. Shaw, Frank G. Carpenter, Dr. George Harris, Gen. George Williams, Third Auditor Williams, Dr. Carroll Morgan E. W.

The Senate.

Army posts asking for the passage of the dependent pension bill over the president's veto were presented from Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, priations would allow. There is a great deal of Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Minnesota, New York, dissatisfaction at the slow progress of the work, Iowa and Maine. BILLS REPORTED.

Piremen's Insurance company of the District of Columbia. To authorize the President to confer brevet rank on army officers for gallant services in Indian and Indian army officers for gallant services in Indian army officers for gallant services i Indian campaigns. To amend the statute concerning detail of army officers to educational institutions. Providing an additional circuit judge for the second judicial district. To encourage the holding of a national industrial exhibition of the arts, mechanics and products of the colored race in the United States in 1888.

BILLS ON THE CALENDAR. The Senate then proceeded to the consideration of House bills on the calendar. The first bill taken up was one to change the eastern and northern judicial districts of Texas, on which there was some filibustering.

Mr. Vest moved, as a substitute for it, the bill t establish a United States court in the Indian Territory, and spoke in favor of the substitute at

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LABOR.

The discussion continued till 2 o'clock, when it was laid aside, and the "unfinished business" was ment, \$2,096,500; the bill as reported exceeds the certification of the bill as reported exceeds the certification of the bill as reported exceeds the certification. announced, being the bill to create the department of agriculture and labor.

Mr. Reagan asked unanimous consent for the immediate consideration of the Senate bill incorporating the Atlantic and Pacific ship railway company. Mr. Anderson (Kan.) objected, and the bill was

appropriation bill, but Mr. Anderson also objected to this request (which if granted would throw the bill immediately into conference) and the bill was

Mr. Belmont, from the committee on foreign af-Works of Mercy, \$600; water department, \$45,000 total increase, \$486,960. fairs, reported the House substitute for the Senate retaliation bill, and, under the special order, asked for its immediate consideration Mr. Rice raised the point of order that the substitute must be referred to the committee of the The Speaker overruled the point of order, stating that there was nothing on the face of the bill which showed that it would either increase or restitute as the Belmont bill, a distinction which

duce the revenue. Mr. Belmont disclaimed, stating that it was the committee bill and that it had the approval of those who were best qualified to judge of our relations with other governments. It was finally determined that debate should be limited to three hours.

at Canadian ports for purposes of trade. It was a very vital question to American honor whether a Canadian officer possessed such a right of search

and setzure. had been stopped and a vessel named "T. F. Bayter. It was important that there should be power somewhere to protect American honor when affected in so vital a point as this. The Senate bill provided an effective remedy. If Great Britian shut out our vessels, we would shut out her fish. If she shut the door in our face, we would say "not at home" when she sent up her card to us. his mind, was absolutely unnecessary, and not only unnecessary, but impolitic. The Senate bill promptly and effectually covered every necessity ander Charles to be postmaster at Cedar Rapids, of the case. We did not want any war with Great lowa; James N. Davis at Knoxville, Iowa; Alice

THIS GASCONADING TALK ABOUT WAR guests were coming and going from 9 with Great Britain was nonsense. We could not Mr. Milliken (Maine.)—Suppose she should go to that nothing has been developed affecting either Mr. Rice replied that we would undoubtedly whip her in the end, but that there was no neces-sity for war. One year of exclusion of Canadian fish would bring to an end all the injuries and outrages which were being perpetrated upon our fish-Mr. Davis (Mass.) spoke in support of the Senate bill and appealed for action which would preserve the interests of the hardy fishermen of New Eng-

the interests of the hardy fishermen of New England.

Mr. Clements (Ga.) stated that the substitute was a committee measure and materially different from the Belmont bill, and he regretted that in the discussion of so grave a question as was now pending the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr Rice) should seek to give it a partisan tinge. The trouble with Canada had originated in what had been called

"A MERE SKIRMISH ABOUT FISH,"
but it had assumed larger proportions than a skirmish. The American yessels had been hauled down and 150 American yessels had been division of the United States, and all persons having charge in any way in any department, bureau or division of the government shall forthwith dismiss from the public service all persons employed in or about any such department, bureau or division of the United States, and all persons having charge in any way in any department, bureau or division of the United States, and all persons having charge in any way in any department, bureau or division of the United States, and all persons having charge in any way in any department, bureau or division of the United States, and all persons having charge in any way in any department, bureau or division of the government shall forthwith dismiss from the public service all persons employed in or about any such department, bureau or division of the United States, and all persons having charge in any way in any department, bureau or division of the United States, and all persons having charge in any way in any department, bureau or division of the United States, and all persons having charge in any way in any department, bureau or division of the United States, and all persons having charge in any way in any department, bureau or division of the United States, and all persons having charge in any way in any department, bureau or division of the United States, and all persons are any user of division of the United States, and all persons having charge in any way in any department, bureau or division of the United States,

down and 150 American vessels had been searched or warned off, and the honor of the government was involved. He contended that the remedy was better provided in the substitute than in the Senate bill, and he criticised the latter measure for claiming only the same rights for our fishermen that were accorded to the subjects of the most favored nations. The substitute was better framed in this respect. Another difference between the two measures was that the House bill authorized the President to stop the coming of locomotives and cars into the United States. Ger locomotives and cars into the United States. Gentlemen from the northwest should not complain of this provision. This was not a local question; it was not a New England question. He hoped that the President would not be required to exercise any part of the power conferred upon him; but when it was proposed to deal with the question on the basis of non-intercourse, the government ought not to stop with the mere prohibition of the incoming of Canadian fish.

Mr. Daniel (Va.) said that the treatment of American fishermen by the authorities of the provincial government had been such as to demand the attention of Congress. Every man, however hard and callous, who read the descriptions of that treatment, would be satisfied that the time had come when the subject should have serious consideration. He had send none of that gasconade about war which the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. Rice) referred to. He hoped that there might be no war; but he believed that the way to prevent Kimball, W. É. Curtis, W. B. Shaw, Frank G. Carpenter, Dr. George Harris, Gen. George Williams, Third Auditor Williams, Dr. Carroll Morgan, E. W. Fox, Dr. Magruder, E. B. Cottreil, Jefferson Chandler, C. A. Boynton, P. V. De Graw, P. S. Heath, Thomas J. Brennan, Dr. Sowers, Dr. C. W. Richardson, Fred. Perry Powers, E. J. Graham, Hon. J. G. Cannon, Alexander B. Upshaw, Gen. W. H. Payne, Eugene B. Dasham, Col. John G. Healy, C. E. Kincaid, Judge Jeremiah Wilson, J. W. Bronaugh, W. B. Gurley, Lleutenant Gurley, Arthur M. Ruttledge, H. H. Smith, First Auditor Chenowith, Charles E. Allen, S. H. Kauffmann and C. S. Noyes,

AT THE CAPITOL TO-DAY. was for every government whose dignity was insulted or whose rights were infringed, to meet the question on the threshold with becoming dignity and with a gravity which would pro-DELAYED LEGISLATION. ct it before the eyes of all nations.

then to make all speed possible with the grand

as stated in The STAR) a tabular statement which

shows: Amount of estimates \$4,383,695.66; amount

of House bill, \$3,928,130.66; increase made by Sen-

ate committee, \$483,160; amount of bill as report-

estimates, \$27,595; exceeds appropriations for 1886-87, \$833,027.69.

of the water department, exceeds the amounts re-quired to be paid by the District under the bill as

reported to the Senate, exclusive of the water de-

The changes made upon the House bill by the

Increases—Commissioners' office, \$500; collect

tor's office, \$2,000; attorney's office, \$500; engi-

neer's office, \$1,500; repairs to concrete pave-ments, \$15,000; materials for permit work, \$15,000;

continuation of District surveys, \$3,500; improve-

ment of streets and avenues, \$100,000; sprinkling,

sweeping and cleaning streets, avenues and alleys, \$10,000; constructing country roads, \$60,000; parking commission, \$4,000; for lighting streets, avenues and alleys, \$5,000; for ice boat and maintenance of approximations.

tenance of same, \$85,000; replacing obstructed

sewers, \$8,000; main and pipe sewers, \$25,000; suburban sewers, \$25,000; care of school buildings, \$5,000; new school buildings and furniture for same, \$40,000;

tan police, \$8,160; fire department, \$1,500; House of Good Shepherd, \$3,000; National Association for

Colored Women and Children, \$500; St. Ann's In-

fant asylum, \$1,000; Church Orphanage of the District of Columbia, \$6,000; Association for

Reduction — Georgetown almshouse, \$1,800; Washington Hospital for Foundlings, \$2,000; total

The District in Congress.

THE WINDSOR HOTEL COMPANY.

A memorial has been sent to Congress in behalf

of the Windsor Hotel company, in which it is

our population and the demands of a progressive city, urged thereto by the belief that such an en-terprise will be a welcome and beautiful addition

to the city and a source of benefit to the com-

no one man is willing to take the risk of building a hotel suitable to the wants of the city and wait

for the necessarily slow returns for his invest-

entire square, so that all facilities for ventilation,

plumbing, etc., and architectural ornament may have ample room for development. The Windsor

THE FIREMEN'S INSURANCE COMPANY.

Firemen's Insurance company of this District.

THE PRESIDENCY OF THE SENATE.

Republican Senators will caucus to-morrow to

committee of the House committee on appropria-

Senator Cockrell, from the committee on mili

Mrs. Dr. Pavy had a hearing with the Senate

FOR POLITICAL REASONS.

NONE BUT AMERICANS TO HOLD OFFICE

ger, for the protection of the public service, "pro-

Interior, the Postmaster General, the Attorney Gen-

eral, and every head of every department, bureau or division of the United States, and all persons

due form and process of law, or who is not a citizen of the United States by nativity."

Senator Van Wyck, who is among the number of

REFORM IN THE DIPLOMATIC SERVICE.

Henry M. Stanley has arrived at Zanzibar.

SENATOR VAN WYCK NOT A CANDIDATE.

personal character or reputation

In the Senate to-day Mr. Spooner reported favor-

rtment, by \$37,455.52.

Net increase, \$483,160.

Senate committee are as follows:

The estimated revenues of the District, exclusive

the government's proceeding. He strongly sup-ported the railway clause of the substitute as ren-dering more effective the policy of non-intercourse. The Capitol Terraces. DESIRE TO HAVE THE WORK COMPLETED THE COM-ING SEASON. Hitherto the work on the Capitol terraces has been pushed forward as fast as the annual approand the Senate appropriations committee have determined to supply money enough to complete eyesore to everybody and there is a universal desire to have it completed. The plan is to put on a large force of men and push the work. It is contemplated to finish the terrace work at once and that came over from last year, that will in all probability be all that will be done. The naval appropriation bill is still on the calendar, unnoticed.

The District Appropriation Bill. THE TEXAS INQUIRY. COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS—CHANGES IN THE HOUSE Mr. Plumb submitted with the District appro Heard To-day. priation bill (which passed the Senate yesterday,

The Texas investigation was resumed this morning. As the complainants had no more witnesses on hand the defense opened their case.

THE KILLING OF BOLTON. The first witness was Wm. Cawse, white, a farmer, 41 years old, a resident of Washington county, who testified that he was a clerk at Fleweilyn's polling place. The count of ballots began at twenty there was a rap on the door; witness was keeping the tally-sheet; in a few seconds a gun was fired; gun leveled at, him, and turned and ran out of the elected. Estimable citizens have been thrown other door and went home; saw Bolton (who was killed) lying on the floor; his head was lying on the threshold of the door and his feet inside; he have returned a solid phalanx of anti-annexationhad apparently made a step or two inside when ist deputies. This, of course, has shot; knew Bolton; hadn't seen him before that day; 'twas not a minute from the time Bolton entered the door until he was shot down; witness was in the room all evening; saw no armed or masked men; heard nobody give the order to throw up hands; witness did not see who held the vote as "a proud reply to the comminatory magun, but as he started to run out he

RAN ALMOST AGAINST A GUN-BARREL; when witness saw him next morning. It was the general belief that Polk Hill shot Bolton. Witness did not recognize Bolton as he entered the door, as he was paying close attention to his tally sheet. Up to the shooting only 59 votes were counted out. of about 159 cast. The ballots were badly scratched and the counting was slow. Of the votes counted there was but little difference in the number cast for Kirk (democrat) and Schultze (republican).

he had been in Texas twenty years; came directly from England to Texas; had always voted the democratic ticket. Witness saw Bolton before the polls were opened, and did not see him again until the day after he was killed. The election was clated themselves together and subscribed money to build a hotel in Washington competent to meet to build a hotel in Washington, competent to meet and so did not look up; so far as witness knew and in every way the increasing needs and numbers of could see Bolton was the only man who undertook door and didn't have time to recognize him when the shot was fired. There was no talk of a raid on the ballot box, and witness did not anticipate any trouble; did not see Bolton with any weapon; it was not until some time after that the charge was ness was never so badly scared in his life, and not knowing whence the next shot might come, he ran away. Witness swore that he never had said that Bolton was masked.

terprise, and only desire a charter which will enable them to do so with some assurance of permanent security. Not one cent is asked of Congress; no subsidy, no "protection" against rival enterthe house after the shot a second more than possible; he ran out, jumping over the dead body. "Well, I was agoin' pretty peart," was the reply. When witness stepped over the body it had on a yellow water-proof overcoat, which was buttoned only at the top button and loose at the bottom. ably the House bill to extend the charter of the the front door; two shots were fired. Two of the negroes had doubled-barreled guns and one had an ness ran out; after awhile went back, but saw noprominently mentioned in connection with the heard of no intended raid, and was entirely sur-Treasurer Jordan to-day appeared before a sub-

what occurred. Never told anybody that Bolton was disguised. Witness was in Brenham on the night the three negroes were hanged, but knew nothing about it except what he had heard. The belief was that Polk Hill killed Bolton; the colored people all said so. Witness understood that the three negroes were hanged because they were with Polk Hill when he killed Bolton, and they were says: propriation of \$50,000 for printing small notes during the remainder of the fiscal year. Mr. Jordan also called attention to the need of additional vault room for silver storage in the Treasury, which would become more urgent he said when the redemption of trade dollars begins. justice of the peace in Washington county, was tary affairs, yesterday reported favorably in the

senate the House bill authorizing the Secretaries of War and Navy to apportion in an equitable manner the pay of officers of the army and navy on the retired list who refuse or neglect to provide for their wives or children.

Include that had need in that county 52 years; held an inquest on the body of DeWees Bolton the morning after he was killed; there was no mark for the period of 75 days. Judge Bradford has nor disguise on the body when witness, as coroner, first saw it.

Lockett and Gilder arrested, but they had fied the country. The verdict of the coroner's jury was that Polk Hill killed Bolton and that the eight negroes who were arrested were accessories; that the killing was by advice of Ed. Lockett (white). Witness made efforts to ascertain the names of the parties who raided the ballot boxes, but they vides that the Secretaries of State, War, Navy and

The Missing Army Officer. LIEUT. SHAW'S DUPLICATED PAY ACCOUNTS. Nothing has yet been learned of the whereabouts

The bill making appropriations for the military academy was passed in the Senate yesterday.

The House amendments to the sundry civil bill were disagreed to in the Senate yesterday and a conference asked. Senators Allison, Hale and Beck were appointed conferees.

Senate bill changing the boundaries of the fourth collection district of Virginia was passed in the Senate yesterday.

TWO CENTS.

Telegrams to The Star. EARTHQUAKE ON THE RIVIERA

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THE ELECTIONS IN GERMANY

ALSACE-LORRAINE UNRECONCILED

Five Men Killed by the Fall of a Scaffold.

IS THE CHANCE OF WAR LESSENED

some Startling Facts Recalled by the Elections in Germany. pecial Cable Dispatch to THE EVENING STAR.

LONDON, Feb. 23 .- A fact at once recognized in regard to the German elections is the triumph of the trinity-emperor, chancellor and soldier. Interest in England attaches only to two aspects of these elections. The first of these is the enormous increase of the socialist vote in Berlin. In 1871 the vote polled was 2,058, a not much greater number than the socialists of London at this minute. Now it is 94,000, or more than one quarter of the total vote. At the same time, however, the socialists have lost several seats, some of which they will probably regain on a second ballot. The second aspect, and one of more immediate interest, is the attitude of Alsace and Lorraine. Prince Hominutes past six, and went on until 11.30; then | henlohe warned the electors there that the return of so-called protesting deputies would materially increase the danger of war. Bismarck distinctly witness started to run out the front door; saw a | threatened them with a state of siege if these were other door and went home; saw Bolton (who was | into prison, newspapers suppressed, meetings dis-

PRODUCED AN IMMENSE SENSATION IN FRANCE. The Nationale says; "The 21st of February is 8 noevres of the emperor's lieutenants." The Revanche says: "These two provinces are still the turned instantly and ran out the other door. Polk advanced forts of France." Gen. Boulanger was Hill (colored) was in the room and left just as there was the knock at the door; saw no disguise; as they did yesterday, after fifteen years of occupation, one may well ask whether Alsace would not burst into revolt were Germany to declare war

tions as a whole make for peace, English opinion seems divided. The Standard's Vienna correspondent reiterates his assertion that Germany will demand from France some guarantee of neutrality in case of an outbreak in the East, or some explanation of her increased armaments near the fron By Associated Press.

Paris Journals Jubilant. Paris, Feb. 23.—The newspapers of this city are ubilant over the result of the election in Alsace Lorraine. They say that Germany is not able to obtain the hearts of the inhabitants of the annexed

SHAKING UP THE RIVIERA. The Gay Residents of Nice, Cannes quake. ROME, Feb. 23 .- Two shocks of earthquake were

felt at Nice at 6 o'clock this morning. Houses a zone extending from the vatican to the sea, by rocked, walls cracked, and in some cases frail tenements were thrown to the ground. The people rushed from their houses and fell upon their knees in the streets, praying for deliverance from sud-den death. Visitors to the city have become thoroughly frightened and are leaving the place. Many persons were injured by falling debris. Much alarm is felt lest there be a recurrence of the shocks. The Prince of Wales, who was in Nice a few days ago witnessing the festivities which precede the lenten season, had taken his departure and was safe at Cannes. Shocks were also felt at Monte Carlo and Monaco, at which places they were so severe that rocks were detached from the cliffs and precipitated into the sea. The disturbance extended as far as Genoa.

THE SHOCKS FELT OVER A WIDE AREA.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Further dispatches concerning the earthquakes in the south of Europe this morning state that two violent shocks were felt at Toulon. The shock was of fifteen seconds' duration and the second of twelve seconds. The movement was from west to east. At Cannes three shocks were felt at the same hour. The first shock, which was very violent, lasted for a minute The second and third shocks were not as heavy as the first. Many persons at this place rushed to the seashore for safety. Nobody was injured. At 6 and 8 o'clock. The first shock was very severe and awakened everybody in the place. Several shocks were felt at Genoa at 6 o'clock. Many Casualties at Nice and the Peo-

A dispatch from Nice, dated noon to-day, says that many casualties were caused by the earth quake there this morning. The people are panic stricken and the entire population is in the streets.
The railway station is besieged with visitors who are anxious to leave at the first chance that offers.
Two houses—one in St. Etlenne street and one in old musket. Nobody in the room was armed. Wit- St. Phillipe street-and the Maison Bourke were ness ran out; after awhile went back, but saw no-body stirring and did not enter the house; had buried in the ruins of these buildings. There was also a slight shock at Marseilles this morning prised by the shot. Witness swore that he never told anybody that he was so scared he didn't know cracked. Shocks were also felt at Leghorn and Milan and several places in the province of Genoa,

A Man to be Sold at Auction. KENTUCKY. CHICAGO, Feb. 23 .- A special from Augusta, Ky says: The trial of Henry Dodson, charged with being a vagrant, came off yesterday before Geo. L. Bradford and a jury. The defendant's attorney, E. D. Daum, was sick and unable to attend court, and the court appointed Captain H. C. Weaver to defend him. The jury, after hearing all the evi-At this juncture a discussion arose as to the offering of evidence. Mr. Eustis proposed to submit a certified copy of the testimony taken at the coroner's inquest to show that witnesses who had

very strong, first prices showing advances of from ander Charles to be postmaster at Cedar Rapids, Iowa; James N. Davis at Knoxville, Iowa; Alice

Mr. Vernon testified that he had been a democrat all his life, but was nominated for justice of Nashville. There was a moderately active busithe peace by republicans and democrats and ness with Reading, Union Pacific, St. Paul and principally confined to the New England states, as elected last November. In witness' justice district there are the four voting places of Grahall, Lott's Store, Flewellyn's and Washington. Witness heard negroes say that Lockett and Gilder, two white republicans, advised them (the negroes) to arm themselves and shoot down any man who attacked the ballot box. Witness tried to have Lockett and Gilder arrested, but they had fied the country. The verdict of the corporar's turk was o'clock the market is quiet and barely steady. Kansas and Texas most prominent. There were o'clock the market is quiet and barely steady.

Wanted for Burglary in Boston New York, Feb. 23.—John A. Matthews, alias "Jack Shepherd," alias "John Mahoney;" Frank Green, alias "Hearst," and James Levy, the "crooks," who were arrested on Saturday as suspicious characters, were arraigned in court to-day and were identified as the parties concerned in a burglary in Boston on the night of February 11. They were remanded to await the arrival of requisition papers. sition papers.

Wall Street Messenger Boys Strike. NEW YORE, Feb. 23.—The messenger boys employed in the Mutual District offices at 10 Wall street and No. 48 New street, about 150 in number, went out on a strike this morning. The two
offices transact brokers' business generally, and
were left with only a few employes when the day's
work began. The boys demand an increase of
wages to \$5 weekly. They are now receiving \$4. The Rydal Castle's Rough Voyage. THE WORST WEATHER ENCOUNTERED IN CAPT. JONES

Nothing has yet been learned of the whereabouts of Lieut. J. J. Shaw, 6th infantry, who is wanted for having duplicated his pay accounts, and it is now believed that he has deserted, with the view of niding himself for good. Another duplication of his accounts for December has been discovered, making four for that month and three for January. The department officials are satisfied that he should escape as the cost of his trial would be greater than the amount irregularly paid him. A nice point to be settled is: Who is responsible for the overpayments? Two payments were of course regular, but the other five will probably be charged against the pay officials who made them, and an effort will be made to obtain relief from Congress.

Sult Against the R and O. Railsoad.—Miss Ellen Harris, a young lady of Louisville, Ky., who received an ugly scalp wound by striking some object while her head was out of a window of a passenger car between Sir John's Rum and Cumberland some months ago, has chered suit against the Baltimore and Ohlo railroad to recover \$30,000 damages for injuries sustained. The declaration states that she was rendered sick and faint by the high rate of speed and pitching of the train, and that her head was knocked against the side of the window when it struck the bridge or other object. TWENTY YEARS AT SEA.

into the fight again with the view of holding the republicans together and preventing them from aiding in the election of Camden. But there is some reason to believe that to-morrow's ballot

Ballot May be Decisive. Special Dispatch to THE EVENING STAR. CHARLESTON, W. VA., Feb. 23,-The ballot in joint convention for U.S. Senator to-day was as follows: Camden (democrat), 39; Goff (republican), 34; balance scattering. Goff has been put may be decisive, as some of the republicans de clare their willingness to vote for Camden.

THE WEST VIRGINIA CONTEST. Goff Agnin in the Field-To-morrow's

THE GROWTH OF THE KNIGHTS. About 50,000 New Members Enrolled in

Philadelphia in 1886.

PHILADRIPHIA, Feb. 23.—The wonderful progress made by the Knights of Labor in this city during 1886 is shown in the annual report just issued by John J. Cummins, the recording and financial sec-retary of District Assembly, No. 1. The report states that on January 1st, 1886, there were 54 local assemblies attached to District Assembly, No. , with a membership of 6,550. During the year total local assemblies 234, with a membership of 61,499. Of this number 5,631 fell away, leaving the total membership 55,668. Three local assemblies lapsed during the year, and 20 withdrew to 211 local assembles attached to District Assembly No. 1. The secretary attributes the falling off of the members to the lack of education in the true principles of the order and the indifference of ose whose duty it is to impart and instruct them He recommends the establishm of a bureau of labor for the benefit of members out of work, and prevent them roaming around work-shops and factories, thus exposing to employers the amount of unemployed labor, which Mr. Cum-mins thinks is an incentive for the reduction of wages. He thinks that employers would use the bureau in the course of time, as it would relieve them of the trouble of seeking responsible help, and it would be of great benefit to members of the

YOUNG WILSON HAS A FIT. The Doctors at First Thought He Had Taken Poison.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23,-George Wilson, the colored youth charged in the confession of Mrs. Mary Tabbs with the murder of Wakefield Gains, part of whose remains were found in a pond at Eddingof whose remains were found in a point at Ending-ton, Bucks county, Pa., took poison in his cell at the central police station this morning, and it is thought will die. The district surgeon is endeav-oring to revive him. The discovery was made by the turnkey when he went to the cell to remove the prisoner's breakfast dishes,

IT WAS ONLY A FIT. The surgeon at first thought Wilson had taker poison, but subsequently ascertained that he had increly been attacked with an epileptic fit. Upon recovery he and Mrs. Tabbs were taken before Magistrate Smith and on application of Chief of Detectives Kelly they were committed for a further hearing on Monday next. Wilson is eighteen years of age and has an idiotic appearance. Mrs. Tabbs is a shrewd looking colored woman of thirty-two years.

FIVE MEN INSTANTLY KILLED. Precipitated Sixty-Five Feet by the Fall of a Scaffold.

ALTOONA, Pa., Feb. 23 .- A terrible accident happened at Bellefonte yesterday morning. A gang of bricklayers, employed by the firm of Wintering & Dixon, of Pittsburg, were engaged in lining the stacks at Valentine's furnaces, when the scaffolding on which they stood gave way, precipitating twelve men to the bottom of the stack, a distance of sixty-five feet. Five men were killed and two others fatally injured. The scaffold had been weighted down with some 8,000 bricks. All the men killed were single and residents of Pittsburg. Arrested in Germany.

TER THE GERMAN ARMY. SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Feb. 23.—Senator Stephens ing his attention to the arrest by the German government of Richard Reabecker, a citizen of Strasized citizen of the United States and has resided in Shelby county for some years. In December he started for Germany on a visit, arriving in that country January 6, 1887. Three days later he was arrested and compelled to enter the German army, and is still held a prisoner subject to mili-

tary service. These facts will be set forth in the papers, with the request that he demand Rea-becker's instant release by the German govern-In Return for the Pope's Aid. GERMANY TO BECOME MEDIATOR BETWEEN THE VATI-CAN AND ITALY. London, Feb. 23.—It is reported that in return for the Pope's recent friendship Germany has con-sented to act as mediator between the Italian government and the vatican. The vatican's proposa

Civita Vecchia, shall become the absolute pro erty of the Pope. Mrs. DeWitt's Off-Hand Shot.

SHE AIMED AT A STRAY DOG BUT KILLED A YOUNG INDIAN. dental shooting is reported from Junction city, a few miles west of here. Mrs. DeWitt, the wife of a prominent merchant, was practising with a rifle, when an Indian dog came running along the edge of the river. Mrs. DeWitt took quick aim and fired at the dog. Just at that moment the head of a young Indian, son of Big Ox, a wellknown Crow, peeped above the bank and the bul-let hit him in the forehead. He died in a few mindid all they could to show it was accidental. They also dressed the body in a new suit and placed it in a coffin. A Catholic priest officiated. The In-dians were presented in satisfaction with sugar, coffee, blankets and a mare and a colt, in all

amounting to \$400. A Boarding House Keeper Killed. CINCINNATI, Feb. 23.-At eleven o'clock las night Henry Merseman shot and killed B. J. Ricking, a boarding house keeper on Court street, Merseman was drunk and wanted to see his brother who was asleep in the house. Ricking refused to wake him up and went back to his be

room. Henry followed him in and fired with fata Reported Sold to the Richmond and Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 23.—It is reported here that the Nashville and Chattanooga railroad has here are reticent, and no confirmation or denia

can be obtained. A Steamer Sunk in Collision London, Feb. 23.—The British bark, Vallejo, from Portland, Oregon, via Queenstown, for Hull, ar-rived off Dover to-day with her bows stove and her forward compartment full of water. She has been in collision with the steamer Weatherall. The steamer sunk and one person aboard of her was

The Cleveland Fur Robbery. ARREST OF "KID" MITCHELL WHO IS SUSPECTED TO

KNOW SOMETHING ABOUT IT. CLEVELAND, Feb. 23 .- John Mitchell, alias "Kid" Mitchell, was arrested in Pittsburg last evening on an order from Superintendent Schmitt. Mitchell is a Cleveland criminal and has been in the work-house. The police suspect that he may know some-thing about the Benedict and Ruedy fur burglary, and the assault upon Captain Hoenn and Detective Hulligan at Ravenna, Ohlo. His presence in Pittsburg indicates that he is familiar with the crooks of that city, who are supposed to have had a hand in disposing of the stolen furs. Detective Lohrer will be sent to Pittsburg to-day for the prisoner. There is no certainty that anything serious can be proved against Mitchell, but it was deemed best to arrest him for the purpose of inves-

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Feb. 23.-A number of dele gates to the Fishing convention arrived here to-day. The meeting will commence this afternoon. no delegates have yet arrived from the west

Confirmations by the Senate, The Senate has confirmed the following nomina-Thomas C. Manning, of Louisiana, minister to

Mexico; T. B. Connery, of New York, secretary of

legation, Mexico; E. A. Marr, of Florida, consul,

Gothenburg; Fred Ellison, of Indiana, consul, St. Helena; E. W. Mealey, of Maryland, consul, Mu-Helena; E. W. Mealey, of Maryland, consul, Munich; E. C. More, of Missouri, consul general, Mexico; J. A. Hanlon, of New York, collector internal revenue, 28th district of New York; G. L. Johnson, of Ohio, collector internal revenue, 10th district of Ohio; Hugh A. Haralson, of Georgia, deputy auditor of Treasury for Post Office department; Philip W. Downes, of Maryland, general appraiser of merchandise, Baltimore; Thad. S. Sherrettes, of Maryland, appraiser of merchandise, Baltimore; Chas. B. Morton, of Missouri, commissioner of navigation; Second Assistant Engineer James Fitzpatrick to be first assistant engineer revenue marine; James I. Brereton, of the District of Columbia, to be second assistant engineer revenue marine; W. W. Culver, be first assistant engineer revenue marine; James I. Brereton, of the District of Columbia, to be second assistant engineer revenue marine; W. W. Culver, of Kansas, to be third lieutenant revenue marine. T. M. Jones, of Virginia, agent Shoshone agency, Wyoming. W. L. Powell, of Virginia, agent Neah Bay agency, Washington. T. A. Byrnes, of New Jersey, agent Uintah and Ouray agency, Utah. Calhoun Fluker, of Louisiana, surveyor general of Louisiana. John F. Norrish, of Minnesota, surveyor general of Minnesota. Zach. T. Crawford, of Florida, receiver public moneys, Gainesville, Fla. W. A. Imes, of Montana, receiver public moneys, Bozeman, Mont. F. W. Smith, of Arizona, receiver public moneys, Tucson, Ariz. Thomas W. Scott, of Virginia, marshal for eastern district of Virginia. Thomas B. Yancey, of Tennessee, marshal for western district of Tennessee. Frank Allyn, of Iowa, to be associate justice of the supreme court of Washington Territory. C. E. Broyles, to be register of the land office at Alamosa, Col. R. A. Jones, of Oregon, to be chief justice of the supreme court of Washington Territory. Army—Lieut. Col. J. W. Whittemore to be colonel; Major F.H. Parker to be lieutenant colonel; Capt. J. A. Kress to be major; First Lieut. W. L. Fiske to be captain; Second Lieut. C. E. Gillette to be first lieutenant; Capt. Edward Moale to be major; First Lieut. J. W. Hannay to be captain; Second Lieut. F. B. McCoy to be first lieutenant; Maj. Edward Collins to be lieutenant colonel; W. F. Hubbard, of New York, and Henry Swift, of Dakota, to be post chaplains. Navy—Commander Thomas Nelson to be captain; Lieut. Commander Thomas Nelson to be captain; D. F. Rogers to be surgeon. Also fifty-three postmasters, including William P. Lane at Hagery town, Md.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

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MASTERS BUILDERS' ASSOCIATION will give their annual dinner at the Riggs House on THURSDAY EVENING, Feb. 24. at 8:30 o'clock p.m. All members requested to attend. 1t\* ENDOWMENT HALL, 10TH STREET, MR.
ALFRED MACE, D.V., will give an address
TO-NIGHT, at 7:30; subject, "The Holy Spirit," All
free.

ELEVENTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION of Georgetown—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the above association for the election of officers and other important business, will be held on THURSDAY EVENING, February 24th, at 7:30 o'clock, at Catholic Union Hall, cor. 32d and N sts.. West Washington, All persons interested are requested to attend

DANIEL J. LOGAN, Secretary P. T.

A MEETING OF PROPERTY HOLDERS will be held at the corner of 3d and P sts. n. w. Thursday, at 7:30 p. m. All property holders interested in the improvement of the streets should attend.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, the 23d day of February, 1887,

HARRIET O. WALSH V. CHARLES R. WALSH, No. 10.354, Docket 26.

On motion of the plaintiff by Mr. W. F. Mattingly, her solicitor, it is ordered that the defendant, Charles R. Walsh, cause his appearance to be entered herein on or before the first rule day occurring forty days after this day; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default.

The object of this suit is for the plaintiff, Harriet O. Walsh, to obtain a divorce from the defendant on the ground of desertion and abandonment.

This order shall be published once a week for three weeks in the Washington Law Reporter and Evening Star newspaper of this city. weeks in the Washington Law. Star newspaper of this city. WM. M. MERRICK, A. J.

By the Court, [Seal.] True copy, Test:
R. J. MEIGS, Clerk, &c.
f23-1aw,3w By M. A. CLANCY, Asst. Clerk. THIS IS TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC that I will leave the city in a few days. All who have their watches left with me shall call for them before the 1st of the month.

HENRY ROSENSHER, Watchmaker, f22-3t\*

Corner 7th and L sts. n.w.

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WASHINGTON, FEB. 18TH, 1887.
The promptness of the PENNA, LIVE STOCK INSURANCE COMPANY in paying the loss of my animal, insured under policy No. 13306 for two hundred dollars, enables me to recommend it to the owners of live stock in this city. Lime Kilns, 27th and L sts. n.w. WASHINGTON, Feb. 18th, 1887. The VETERINARY ATTENDANCE (FREE) while horse was sick and prompt payment of claim after death of animal by THE PENNA, LIVE STOCK INive dollars in full for loss of horse insured under policy No. 14331.

E. T. SIMPSON, 3400 M st. n.w.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18th. 1887.

Received of the PEOPLE'S MUTUAL LIVE STOCK
INSURANCE COMPANY, of Pennsylvania seventyfive dollars in full for payment of horself.

five dollars in full for payment of horse deceased, insured under policy No. 13451. H. C. MOUNIE,

1327 C st. s.w.
C. H. MANN, Manager, Room 8, 1006 F st. n.w. NEW BUILDING ASSOCIATION. The following officers of the SECOND COLUMBIA BUILDING ASSOCIATION are authorized to receive subscriptions to stock of this Association. First meeting for the payment of dues and dvances APRIL 5, 1887, at 615 7th st. n.w. Stock \$1 per month, entitling holder to an advance of \$1,000 thereon.
C. C. DUNCANSON, Prest., S.E.cor. 9th and D sts.n.w. JAS. GOOCH, V. P., 430 New York ave. THOS. M. REED, Sec., Room 67, War Dept. M. P. CALLAN, Treasurer, 615 7th st. n.w. GEO. J. JOHNSON, 713 Market Space n.w.

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W. H. GOODS, City Post Office.
E. G. DAVIS, Cor. 8th st. and Market Space n.w.
D. J. MACARTY, 1221 Ohio ave.
A. M. READ, Life Saving Service, Treasury Dept.
C. W. SCHELL, Office Public Printer.
G. W. FOWLER, 1800 14th st. n.w.
W. S. BROCK, Pension Office.
J. W. BOTELER, Sec. Mut. Fire Ins. Co., D. C., S. W.
Cor. Pa. ave. and 9th st. n.w. OFFICE OF THE COLUMBIA RAILWAY CO.
Annual election for seven directors will be held at the Kellogg building. F st., between 14th and 15th, MARCH 8TH, proximo. Polls open from 1 to 2 W. H. CLAGETT, Secretary.

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The Copartnership heretofore existing be-tween M. M. Parker and Eddy B. Townsend, under the firm name of PARKER & TOWNSEND, is hereby dis-

Having terminated my business relations as above and associated myself with A. P. FARDON, at No. 1326 F st. n.w., I respectfully solicit a continuance of the generous patronage extended to me as a member of the late firm. 3. TOWNSEND. REAL ESTATE BROKER, E. F. BROOKS,

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THE RETALIATION BILL. A Spirited Debate in the House.

Petitions in very large numbers from Grand

Bills were reported from committees and placed it by the next meeting of Congress if possible. On the calendar as follows: Extending charter of Architect Clark was called before the committee and consulted as to the more people and consulted as t

Mr. Jones (Ark.) made an argument in support of House of Representatives.

referred to the committee on commerce. Mr. Willis asked that the House non-concur in the Senate amendments to the river and harbor

legislature in favor of legislation to protect American fisheries and for the passage of the Miller pleuro-pneumonia bill. THE RETALIATION BILL.

In the course of a brief discussion as to the limitation of debate Mr. Rice referred to the sub-

by dwelling upon the importance of the subject upon which the House was now asked to act. The question of the fisheries was one that had engaged the control of the fisheries are one that had engaged the control of the control of the control of the control of the c tion, and though from time to time temporary arrangements had settled it, it had now reached a point when it again demanded the serious considercial question, simply affecting restrictions on American fishermen; the important question was whether the United States was willing to acquiesce in a repeated violation of a treaty. He briefly sketched the course of Canadian legislation, and commented upon it in the light of the correspondence recently published becorrespondence recently published beder a charter absolutely necessary, as they limit tween Great Britain and the United capital to one million dollars—and then do not States. Soon after the adjournment of Congress the fishing season would commence, and in self-defense the power of defensive retaliation should be conferred upon the President. There had been no question in the Senate as to the advisability of giving this power, but the bill as it advanced culture. Such a hotel should occupy an came from the Senate was open to certain objections. It provided in one section that the President should issue his proclamation in case he Chamberlin, of Boston, are at the Arlington.—
Rev. Robert Nourse has returned from a lecture granted to the most favored nations. We had no tour in Pennsylvania, Ohlo, Kentucky, Indiana and tour in Pennsylvania, Ohlo, Kentucky, Indiana and treaty with Great Britain containing any favored permit them to put their own means into the enpendicular and only dealers with the rest wit nation clause, nor did we intend to put ourselves T. H. Lowrey, of Brooklyn, C. G. Williams, Water-town, D. T., Walter Cooper, of Bozeman, M. T., and under the treaty of peace we had certain rights in

Coombs of Boston, are at the Riggs.—Mr. Argyle
Finney, formerly of this city, now of Philadelphia,
is at the Metropolitan.—Mr. Dan O'Brien, of
Columbus, Ga., is visiting old friends in the city.—
Admiral Rhind and Engineer Wilson and H. W. J.

Mr. Rice said that there should be no party in a SOMETHING MUST BE DONE TO PROTECT THE NATIONAL Mr. Rice said that there should be no party in a question of this importance—a question which affected the entire nation. When he had alluded to Messrs. Hoar and Ingalls are the only persons the "Belmont" bill he had done so inadvertently. being misled by the fact that the report made to the House did not purport to be the re-port of the committee on foreign affairs, but the report of Mr. Belmont. The Senate bill was not a party measure, but had been passed after careful consideration and able discussion, by the yotes of Senators on both sides of the characters. votes of Senators on both sides of the chamber. Something must be done to protect our national honor. During the past year 100 of our vessels had been subjected to search, and some of them to seizure, by Canadian authorities, for touching

The substitute bill suggested a violation of our treaty obligations with Great Britian, which, to

Much for Congress to Do in the Shor Time Left. He argued that this was better accomplished by the substitute, and criticised the "favored nation" clause of the Senate The House is proceeding with as much deliberabill as shifting the matter of controversy and going out of the way to throw a cloud upon

tion as if the 4th of March were not in sight. Today is given up to the Canadian retaliation bill, and to-morrow will be given up to the pension veto. After that there is nothing left of the session but the six days when the rules are suspended by unanimous consent and measures may be called up. There are a number of measures not having special privilege whose advocates intend to fight for their consideration. The river and harbor bil came over from the Senate this morning, and was referred to the committee. Upon this it is expected that there will be a controversy. The legislative bill has not been considered at all by the House yet, and there are contained in it many re ductions and changes of salaries that will provoke controversy. The sub-committee on the general deficiency bill are at work to-day, and when they have finished their task the whole committee wil still have much to do. No fortification bill for this year has been framed in the committee, and there probably will not be one reported. If the conferace committee come to an agreement on the bill

Witnesses Against the Complainants

On cross-examination by Mr. Teller, witness said

Washington county, and a voter at Flewellyns, was the next witness; was a clerk at the last somebody get up, he supposed to open the door; then a gun was fired. Witness jumped up and saw a man lying across the door, but didn't recog-nize him; did not see any mask or any disguise on apply to a hotel—a charter for twenty years, thus virtually excluding an enterprise of the magnitude contemplated by the company and demanded—in their opinion—by the constantly increasing population and higher requirements of the dead man; saw no arms. Witness contradicted the testimony of the other side that armed men rushed in and ordered the election officers to throw up their hands. He swore that no such thing occurred. He saw Polk Hill, Andy Hays and John Glass, all colored, with guns; afterwards saw these guns in the front gallery, from where Bolton was shot. When witness ran out he thought the dead man was Bolton, but as his face was covered with blood he was not sure.

To Mr. Teller the witness said he did not stay in

military committee yesterday and was granted sworn before the committee that Bolton was armed and disguised swore at the inquest that he until Saturday to present documents in support of Mr. Teller objected, but after some discussion it In connection with the confirmation of Alex-Mr. Vernon testified that he had been a demo-H. Groves at Afton, Iowa; Wm. H. Merritt, Des Moines, Iowa; and George P. Neal at Columbus Junction, Iowa, the postoffice committee reports after examination that their respective predeceslected last November. In witness' justice dis-The bill introduced in the House by Mr. Gallin-

> were not successfu THE RAID ON THE GRAHALL BALLOT BOX. Benj. S. G. Awbrey, white and a farmer, was udge at the Grahall box, which was raided; it was a republican box, but the negroes did a great deal of scratching. Up to 11 p.m., when the box was raided by three masked men, 221 votes had been counted, of which 116 were for Kirk (people's candidate) to 105 for Schultze, republican. Witness did not identify the raiders, but suspected the two men who were accused of inciting the murder of Bolton at Flewellyns. A pistol was put to his head and he gave up the bailot box; never saw it again.

outgoing Congressmen who had been suggested as possible commissioner of inter-state commerce, wishes it known that he is not a candidate and has not been. His plans for the future in Nebraska contemplate something quite different. It is understood that all the propositions that were stricken out of the consular and diplomatic bill in the House on points of order will be restored by the Benate committee. The efforts to secure certain reforms, Mr. Bayard is anxious for, was a dismal failure. Now Mr. Bayard will turn his attention to the Senate committee to see what he can do in that direction. It is understood that he will appear before the committee in person in advocacy of these measures.